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For: CHROMATOGRAPHY AND OTHER ADSORPTIONS  
USING MODIFIED CARBON ADSORBENTS  
Our Ref: 96074CIP2 (3600-011-03)

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**RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

This Response to Non-Compliant Amendment is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 13, 2005, for which the Examiner has set a one-month period for response, thus making the response due on or before May 13, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.